

## CATTLE DIPPER WILL DISREGARD UNION'S THREATS

Gault Insists Work Will Proceed Despite All Opposition.

Employees of the state board of agriculture engaged in dipping cattle in Cherokee county have been threatened with violence by members of the Working Class union, according to President Frank M. Gault of the board who returned Monday from the east side of the state.

The Working Class union, organized in Sequoyia county about a year and a half ago, is opposed to cattle dipping and tick eradication work because a special tax levy is made to defray expenses.

"The records show that only about 10 percent of the lot or more members of the organization in Cherokee county are on the tax roll," said President Gault. "Yet they oppose tick eradication work on the ground that it increases their taxes when, as a matter of fact, they do not pay any taxes. Regardless of their protests the work will continue in Cherokee county. The law must be obeyed."

One of the aged members in speaking at a meeting Sunday in Tahlequah urged that the work should be continued because God made man and God made ticks and he doesn't want either one killed.

Bankers: Come and enjoy the good things to eat in the basement of the Colcord building. Ad.

## Taft to Testify For Accused Banker

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Former President Taft was first Monday on the witness stand in the federal trial of three officers of the First National bank. He was called as a character witness to testify in behalf of the bank's president, C. C. Glover, one of the indicted men. The case of the prosecution has not been made but it is expected to allow one defense witness to testify at this time.

"What chance have I got with that girl? One of her admirers owns an automobile and the other has a motorboat. If she likes you, a trip to the movies would please her just as well." Birmingham Age-Herald.

## Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside; no sour bile to cost your tongue and sicken your breath; to dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headaches, colds, rheumism, or any of the stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles that you suffer outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins out of the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen your entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphate hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel, like you felt before your blood nerves and muscles became saturated with an accumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment and above all keep up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast, act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Adv.

## Water Bonds

Another Reason—

Two gentlemen were talking on the street about the coming election on the water bonds. One said: "Here comes a fellow that's in favor of the bonds."

Of course I said all good up-to-date plumbers should be for them, and especially owners of property that have plumbing repairs to make.

For when there is a scarcity of water in the river and the water is turned on only twice a day, having the water off it dries all the washers out in the laundries and other plumbing, causing them to crack, and they have to be replaced. This puts the property owners to thousands of dollars expense for replacement. So vote early for a better water system.

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## Tabloid News for Busy Folks

**ALLEGED JOINT DEMOLISHED**—Chief of Police Nichols, Capt. Gallup and Detective Hoops, Conners and Gordon used Carrie Nation tactics Sunday on an alleged bootlegging joint at 221 South Robinson. The officers armed with axes demolished chairs, bar stools, shelves and two full casks of "beer" but the place was occupied by Tate Jones, it was alleged, assisted by J. W. McGovern, D. C. Hawkins, Jack Wiggins, Buford Hays and Dick Taggart were taken in charge by the police.

**OFFICERS SHOOT NEGRO**—Three bullets entered the body of Harry K. Thaw, a negro when Detectives Bill Blanton and Joe Nay attempted to arrest him for assault on his wife. The officers shot the negro after he pulled a gun when they appeared at his home, 425 East California, and started to run. The bullets penetrated the victim's left leg.

**WILSON DECLINES POST**—Because he has outlined a constructive program of work for three years, State Superintendent R. H. Wilson has refused the presidency of the Central State Normal school at Edmond, tendered him recently by one of the members of the state board of education. Mr. Wilson's refusal was thought to preclude the election of C. C. Grubbs, president of the normal, to the presidency of the Edmond school.

**HOP JOINT RAIDED**—Ida Hoskins, express, alleged proprietor of a "hop" joint at 6 North Henry, was arrested Sunday. A lamp and a supply of hop were found.

**FILES FOR JUSTICE OFFICE**—J. L. Price, democrat, filed today for justice of the peace to succeed himself. He was municipal judge of Oklahoma City in Mayor Grant's administration.

**OFFICIALS TO FIGHT AMENDMENT**—A meeting of county judges and court clerks probably will be held in Oklahoma City within a short time to plan an organized fight against adoption of the county court abolition amendment to the constitution, according to information reaching some of the state officers Monday morning.

**RENDERS ON ANKNOUR SEAT**—The 20th members of the Oklahoma City high school senior class are awaiting the results of their final examinations, taken last Friday morning. According to Principal J. P. Wettenheimer there will be comparatively few failures.

**STOLEN AUTO FOUND**—A R. Wilson automobile, stolen from 2124 West First street Friday night, was found in the 1,000 block on West Twentieth street late Saturday night. It is thought persons had taken the car for a joyride. It had not been damaged.

**AUTOMOBILE STOLEN**—A 5-passenger Ford belonging to Victor Lee was stolen Saturday, according to a report at the sheriff's office today.

**LARCENY CASE CONTINUED**—Elliott Mason, under charge in Pontotoc county of having robbed a bank, will not be prosecuted in Oklahoma county on the charge of larceny of an automobile until after the Pontotoc case is disposed of. That announcement was made today by Chas. R. Selby, assistant county attorney, in recommending to the court that the larceny case be indefinitely continued.

**WHISKY CHARGES FILED**—An information was filed in the county court today against J. W. Hodge and May Hodge, charging them with unlawful possession of seventeen quarts of beer and one quart of whisky.

**DELIE WILSON RETURNS**—Olin H. Wilson, secretary of the State Federation of Labor and editor of the Oklahoma Federationist, has returned from Tulsa, where he attended the state convention of the Oklahoma Press association.

**WIFE GIVEN PROPERTY**—Judge Hayson today granted Elizabeth Blazer a divorce from George C. Blazer and gave her two lots and appurtenances in Oklahoma City worth \$2,000. The court gave Blazer a farm of 160 acres in Kansas. Ten children were placed in the mother's custody. The case was tried before Judge Hayson last Tuesday. A divorce was granted because of extreme cruelty.

**ANGLERS FIGHT 1916 YARN**—The year's first fish story is told by Harry Fisher of Usher & Fisher, and W. S. Spencer of W. S. Spencer & Co. They declare they caught five black bass weighing from one to five pounds at Belle Lake lake yesterday.

**MAIL MEN CHANGE RAIMENT**—The letter carriers changed their summer uniforms today. A light blue shirt, white trousers, white socks and white shoes and put on their new uniforms. The carriers of the Oklahoma City post office were the first to change.

**BARN DESTROYED BY FIRE**—Fire destroyed a barn to the extent of about \$10,000 at the rear of 1300 West Third street this morning. The blaze started from torches used in a nearby chicken house.

**ACCUSED OF STEALING BAIT**—While Saunders was arrested Sunday evening on a charge of stealing a mink dog valued at \$15 from Mrs. J. L. Foster, 161 East Seventh street. The dog was identified Monday by Mrs. Foster.

**SHAZIE IN A HOTEL**—An oil floor mop left too near a stove caused a fire this morning at the hotel, Fourth street and Broadway. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

## What's Happening In U. S. Building

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed this morning with the clerk of the federal district court by J. D. Buckner of Guthrie, a carpenter and contractor. He listed his assets at \$3,748.27 and his liabilities at \$16,424.13. More than \$13,000 will probably be claimed as exempt.

Adjournment of the federal grand jury, which resumed its session in Oklahoma City this morning after a recess of a week, is expected by United States Attorney John Egan on Tuesday evening.

The reason one never sees a hump-backed, flat-headed Indian was illustrated this morning in the case of an Indian woman called to testify in federal court. She strode along the corridors of the building, carrying on her arm a package about a year old, strapped tightly to a heavy board.

Duval J. Childs of Shawnee, charged with selling liquor to an Indian, probably will be brought to trial in federal district court this afternoon. Arrangements for the case were being examined all morning.

Baby held for \$25,000 bill in Kansas City saved itself by catching measles and being taken to isolation hospital.

## VILLAGERS FISH MINE FOR A DOG

Animal Seizes Meat. But Lets Go When Feet Leave Bottom.

**NORTH ARLINGTON, N. J.**—Residents of North Arlington, N. J., are having a lot of sport these days fishing for a dog at the bottom of General Schuyler's old copper mine, on the Belleville turnpike. The animal, which fell into the long abandoned shaft several days ago, seizes every piece of meat lowered to him, but lets go as soon as his feet leave the bottom. It is not a bulldog. It is figured, or he would hang on and in that way be rescued.

General Schuyler's army, in the Revolutionary war, dug the copper mine and it was operated off and on, until half a century ago, when the copper gave out and since then it has lain in disuse. The mine and other machinery had rusted away and the shaft house had disappeared as kindling wood for neighbors. Automobile parties passing the hole in the ground several days ago heard a dog's howl and soon found that an animal had fallen into the shaft, which is not deep. As there is no ledge and no window, Town Mayor Fred Hiepe has been trying to figure a way to get the dog out. Particularly he is interested because every time it is meat time at the bottom of the shaft the dog begins to howl and Hiepe must hurry to the hole with 25 cents worth of meat and lower it on the life line.

## NO BRUTALITY IN WHIPPING, REPORT

School Board to Be Informed of Circumstances Attending Punishment.

Official report of an investigation into the punishment inflicted by Principal C. A. Barnett of the McKinley school on Harold Branson of 1121 North Robinson a few days ago will be submitted to the school board at once, and although Superintendent Buchanan declined to reveal its substance it was learned by The Times to contain witnesses' testimony that there was no brutality in the whipping. It was learned that the principal was justified and that the Branson youth defied Professor Barnett's authority in the presence of the student body.

The report will state, it is said, that Branson was defiant and not abiding the rules about lining up that principal Barnett whipped him lightly with a section of a light riding whip and directed the boy to get in line; that the youth resented the order, flew into a passion, became vituperative and swore and defied the principal's authority; that the principal's efforts to restrain him were unavailing and it was then Professor Barnett inflicting discipline and authority before other pupils could be misled.

The report further states, it is said, that the whipping was not brutal; that it left good well produced marks upon the back, and that the principal was justified in his action.

## HOTTEST FIGHTING SHIFTS FROM VERDUN

LONDON, May 15.—Shorrier fighting is now in progress in other sectors of the western front than in the Verdun region, upon which attention has been chiefly centered for nearly three months.

Notable activity has been reported recently along the British line in northern France, and Flanders and Flanders rounds took action by the artillery on both sides in the Champagne.

## MILITIA IN STRIKE SERVICE COSTS \$50,000

**HARRISBURG, Pa., May 15.**—The strike service of the militia called out in Allegheny county, about five days ago will cost between \$25,000 and \$30,000. The four troops of cavalry still on duty will be withdrawn Monday or Tuesday.

## Wire Flashes

**WASHINGTON**—President and Mrs. Wilson returned early Monday from their weekend cruise aboard the MacCaw. The homeward trip was without special incident.

**NEW YORK**—As long as any nation exists power, the United States must be ready to prove that which our forefathers fought, Secretary of the Navy Daniels declared in an address on national preparedness here Sunday night.

**DETROIT**—The proposed eight-hour day for truck crews was expected to be the most important problem considered at the convention of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, which opened here today.

**NEW YORK**—Methods of packing and shipping American goods for export are to be satisfied foreign purchasers will be demonstrated during the annual convention of the National Association of Manufacturers, which begins here Monday.

## Backache? Run Down? Tired? Clean the Kidneys with Hot Water and "Anuric"

When run-down after a hard winter, while life insurance has brought about a stagnant condition in the circulation, most everyone is filled with uric acid, especially in this so of people past middle age. This uric acid in the blood often causes rheumatism, lumbago, swelling of hands or feet, or a bag-like condition under the eyes. Backache, frequent urination of the pains and stiffness of the joints are also often noticed. In places says that everyone should have a good sweat every day—should drink plenty of pure water and exercise in the open air as much as possible. This helps to throw out the poisonous uric acid through the skin and the "water." But for such persons as are past middle age it's often impossible to do this and

## SMALL BUT LIVELY FROG IS EXTRACTED FROM MAN'S STOMACH

**KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 15.**—A small but extremely lively frog was extracted Sunday from the stomach of John Arnold by physicians at the Kansas City, Kansas, emergency hospital. The animal, according to Arnold's story, was swallowed when he stopped to drink from the surface of a spring near the outskirts of the city. He immediately became ill and hospital authorities were notified.

A stomach pump was used with-out avail by the physicians in the belief that Arnold had tried to commit suicide. Emmett was administered. The result was a tiny frog, about one-half inch in diameter, which hopped about none the worse for wear. Arnold recovered.

## JOVIAN HISTORY TOLD TO LEAGUE

Galen Krow Recounted Beginnings of Order of Sons of Jove to Electrical Men.

The history of the order of Sons of Jove was briefly outlined at the regular weekly luncheon and meeting of the Oklahoma City Electric Lunch League, held Monday at noon in the Lee-Hurkins hotel, by Galen Krow of Guthrie, an official of the Public Utilities corporation.

His success and how it was attained, was discussed by Mr. Krow for the purpose of promoting interest of the local club.

Short talks were also made by other members of the club on a general re-organization, band upbuilding of the club. It was decided upon to elect new officers and also a committee to find the speakers for each week.

The out of town visitors and speakers Mr. Chas. J. Kuttig of St. Louis, Mr. DeForest of the Southwestern Electric Co. of Kansas City, and Mr. Clark of Springfield, Ohio.

A general rejuvenation of the order will be held on May 25, the last day of the Electric men's convention.

## ANNUAL TRIP TO CITY SUGGESTED

Building Loan Man Thinks It Teaches Thrift and Patriotism.

Every local citizen of Oklahoma should make a pilgrimage to Oklahoma City at least once a year in order to reimburse themselves with the spirit of city building and progress that this city possesses. This was the statement of W. M. Malone of Kintla, secretary of the Varsity Building and Loan association and president of the Oklahoma State League of Building and Loan associations, at the state meeting of building and loan men Monday morning, the small banquet room of the Lee-Hurkins hotel, in a reply to an address of welcome delivered by Ed S. Vaughn, president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Building and loan associations were held up by him as teachers of thrift, patriotism and, indirectly, Christianity. "They teach patriotism," he said, "because they give men homes and every man lives the flag that waves above the place he owns. They teach thriftiness because they cause prosperity, and no one can be a Christian on an empty stomach."

S. K. Smith, secretary of the Local Building and Loan association of Oklahoma City made an address on "Home Institutions' Advantages."

About twenty building and loan men attended the meeting.

## NEW HIGH SCHOOL CLASS INSTRUCTED

Fourth grade children from all the thirty ward schools in the city assembled at the high school auditorium at 2 o'clock this afternoon to receive instructions from George V. Buchanan, city superintendent of schools, and J. F. Wellenheimer, principal of the high school, preparatory to entering such studies as they desire to take next year.

A printed sheet containing all elective freshman subjects was handed to each pupil, who will be asked to check off his subjects after Mr. Wellenheimer and Mr. Buchanan have explained high school work to him.

Unpaid telephone bills for the month of May are past due. If not paid by 5 p. m. of the 15th, service will be discontinued. Pioneer Tel. & Tel. Co.—Adv.

## UNION OF METHODISTS TO COME UP TUESDAY

**SARASOTA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 15.**—The proposal to unite the Methodist Episcopal church and the Methodist Episcopal church, south, which have been separated since 1845, will be the order of special business at Tuesday's session of the Methodist general conference. The special committee on federation endorsed the proposed unification.

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## NEGOTIATIONS ON FOR NEW MINERS' CONTRACTS

**KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 15.**—Negotiations for new wage contracts between representatives of the United Mine Workers of America from the three southern districts comprising Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Texas, and conferees appointed by the Southwest Coal Operators association, were expected to start here Monday. The negotiations will cover all branches of the mining industry as there are but certain contracts over which there has been controversy.

## ACCUSED SLAYER SEEKING FREEDOM

Jim Bole, held in the Beckham county jail for the murder of Perry Pevish last December, Monday applied to the criminal court of appeals for a writ of habeas corpus to secure his freedom.

Presiding Judge Thomas H. Doyle, before whom the application was presented, issued an alternative writ, returnable on May 17. Bole has been given a preliminary hearing and held to the district court.

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